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MEMORANDUM

TO: Hawaii Registered Broker-Dealers

FROM: Theresa Kong Kee, Acting Securities Compliance Supervisor

Business Registration Division

SUBJECT: Broker-Dealer Annual Financial Reporting Requirements

This memorandum is to inform you of the State's requirements for the filing of financial information. Pursuant to Section 16-39-404, Hawaii Administrative Rules, all currently registered broker-dealers shall file an annual report of financial condition within ninety (90) days following the end of the fiscal year as follows:

- 1. Broker-dealers registered with the SEC shall file a copy of the financial report filed with the Commission, certified by an independent public accountant **OR** submit a completed Waiver Eligibility Certification form.
- 2. All broker-dealers must maintain the minimum net capital requirement of not less than \$5,000 at all times.

The <u>Waiver Eligibility Certification</u> form is available online at investing.hawaii.gov under the Broker-Dealers tab and the completed waiver/documents shall be uploaded to the <u>Securities Online Portal</u>. If you have any questions concerning the preceding information, contact our office at (808) 586-2722 or email sc@dcca.hawaii.gov.